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1993-94		
1. Financing of	500	60.00
Irrigation Borewell		
2. Financing of	250	31.25
Auto Rickshaw	50	6.00
3. Job Oriented Printing Press 4. Flour Mill	200	
5. Readymade Garment	500	
6. Establishing of Bicycle	700	
Hiring & Service Centre		
7. Pottery	350	32.39
8. Auto Repair Service	525	21.00
9. Dhobi Unit	350	14.875
10. General Engg. Unit	200	17.50
11. Two Animal Dairy Unit	500	22.50
12. Silk Weaving Unit	300	23.085
13. Photocopier Machine	50	13.76
14. Dry Cleaning	50	2.75
15. Polyester W eaving Unit	300	18.89
16. Hari Cutting Saloon	800	4 7. 6 0
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17. Cotton Weaving Unit	800	37.204
18. Carpentry Unit	875	74 .37
19. Gem Cutting & Polishing	5 0 0	8 7.50
20. Autorickshaw	400	50.00
21. Gem Cutting & Polishing	850	148.75
Total	9050	810.144
994-95		
1. Blacksmith Unit	2000	98 .000
2. Silk Weaving Unit	300	23.100
3. Autorickshaw Unit	50 0	62.500
4. Silk Reeling Unit	50	5.750
5. Auto Rickshaw	750	93.750
6. Mini Bus	25	24.697
7. Matador	25	24.697
8. Cow Dairy Unit	3250	438 .750
9. Sericulture Unit	250	7 2.500
10. Silk Worm Rearing House	750	157.500
11. Matador Pick Up Van	50	45.400
12. Ambassador Diesel Taxi	50	49.765
Total	8000	1096.409
995- 96		
1. Dairy Farming	285	20.520
2. Bullock Driven Cart	380	32.400
Total	665	50.920

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1990	1996-97					
1.	General Store	492	50.040			
2.	Autorickshaw Unit	1395	279.000			
3.	Cow Dairy	675 0	1032.750			
4.	Dairy Farming	261	18.792			
5.	Irrigation Borewell	100	19.200			
6.	Autorickshaw	28 2	56 .400			
7.	Bullock Driven Cart	220	17.600			
8.	Electrical Dry Clearing	2 3 0	109.480			
9.	Lift Irrigation	500	250.000			
10.	Handloom Weaver	500	90.302			
11.	Mini Dairy Farm	2000	1445.000			
	Total	12730	3377.564			

Study on Agriculture Modernisation

1650. SHRI MANIKRAO HODLYA GAVIT: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any study on the ongoing phase of agriculture modernisation in the country has been conducted recently;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
 - (c) the reaction of the Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (EXCLUDING THE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING) (SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA): (a) As per available information, no such study has been conducted by the Government.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Economic Support to OBCs in Andhra Pradesh

- 1651. SHRI SULTAN SALAHUDDIN OWAISI: Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether the Central Asistance was sought for providing educational benefits such as scholarship and hostal facilities to the Backward Classes in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the amount sanctioned from the Central Government to the State: and
- (c) the amount so far sanctioned during the last three years and the current year?

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI BALWANT SINGH RAMOOWALIA): (a) to (c). Yes, Sir. The State Government of Andhra Pradesh has sought Central Assistance in respect of Educational Benefits etc. to the Backward Classes in Andhra Pradesh. The Central Government does not have any scheme at present under

which assistance can be provided to the State Government in this respect.

Fertilizer Consumption

1652. DR. KRUPASINDHU BHOI :
SHRI LALIT ORAON :
SHRI THAWAR CHAND GEHLOT :

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

- (a) whether the Government have reviewed the trend of fertilizers consumption in the country for the year 1996-97:
 - (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether consumption of fertilizers has increased; and
- (d) if so, the steps taken to meet the growing demand of fertilizers in the coming years?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (EXCLUDING THE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING) (SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA): (a) to (c). The likely consumption of Fertilizer nutrients during 1996-97 is 164.221 lakh tonnes as against the consumption of 138.77 lakh tonnes during the year 1995-96.

(d) The gap between consumption and production of fertilizers in the country is met through imports. The indigenous production of nitrogenous fertilizers is augmented through further investment in expansion of the capacity through retrofit and revamp of the existing plant to reduce dependence on imports.

[Translation]

Contribution of Agricultural Sector to GDP

- 1653. SHRI NITISH KUMAR: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether the contribution of agricultural sector to the Gross Domestic Product has been declining continuously;
- (b) if so, the percentage of contribution made by the agricultural sector to GDP in 1950-51, 1980-81 and 1994-95; and
- (c) the reasons for continuous decline in the percentage of contribution of agricultural sector to GDP?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (EXCLUDING THE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING) (SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA): (a) and (b). The percentage of contribution of agriculture sector to the Gross Domestic Product (GDP) has been declining. The contribution of Agriculture sector which was 55.4% in 1950-51 declined to 38.1% in 1980-81 and further down to 29.4% in 1994-95.

(c) the decline in the percentage of the contribution made by the agriculture sector to GDP is mainly attributed to relatively higher growth in the manufacturing and services sectors of the economy.

Dairy Products

- 1654. SHRI SHIVRAJ SINGH: Will the Minister of ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING be pleased to state:
- (a) whether our country is self-sufficient in the matter of dairy product;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether dairy units of the public as well as private sectors are facing problems due to accumulation to stocks of dairy products; and
 - (d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI RAGHUVANSH PRASAD SINGH): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. The country is self-sufficient in the matter of dairy products is evident from the fact that negligible amounts of major dairy products are imported although imports of dairy products is placed under OGL. Details of major dairy products imported during last three years is as under:

Name of Product	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96 (in Metric Tonnes)
1. SMP*	2198.67	215.12	1102.99
2. IMF**	58.50	9.13	8.27

- * SMP Skimmed Milk Powder
- " IMF Infant Milk Food
- (c) and (d). Instances of units either in the public or private sector facing problems due to accumulation of stocks have not come to the notice of the Government in the recent past.

[English]

Sugar Distribution

1655. SHRI HARIN PATHAK :
SHRI GANGA CHARAN RAJPUT :
SHRI VIJAY PATEL :

Will the Minister of CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state

(a) whether rural dweller is provided only 425 gms. of sugar while a city dweller is provided one kilogram per month;